

CATHEDRAL OF SAINT JOSEPH

The Mother Church of the Archdiocese of Hartford

THIRD SUNDAY OF ADVENT DECEMBER 16, 2018

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THE INTRODUCTORY RITES

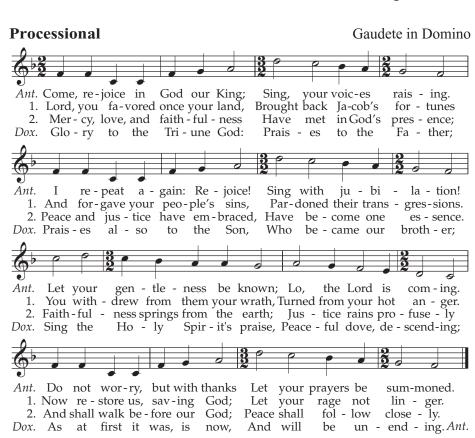
Prelude

Gaudete

Gregorian Chant

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Ein Gesangbuch der Brüder im Behemen und Merherrn, Nuremberg, 1544



Greeting

Priest: The grace of our Lord Jesus Christ, and the love of God, and the

communion of the Holy Spirit be with you all.

People: And with your spirit.

Ant.: Philippians 4:4-6; Vss.: Psalm 85:2-5, 11-12, 14

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Penitential Act

Collect

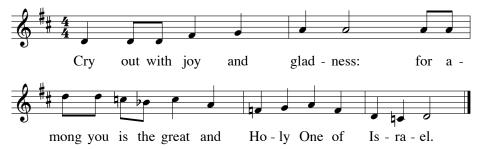
THE LITURGY OF THE WORD

First Reading

Zephaniah 3:14-18a

Responsorial Psalm

Isaiah 12:2-3, 4, 5-6



God indeed is my savior;

I am confident and unafraid.

My strength and my courage is the LORD,

and he has been my savior.

With joy you will draw water
at the fountain of salvation. R.

Give thanks to the LORD, acclaim his name;

name; among the nations make known his

deeds,

proclaim how exalted is his name. R.

Sing praise to the LORD for his glorious achievement;

let this be known throughout all the earth.

Shout with exultation, O city of Zion, for great in your midst is the Holy One of Israel! R.

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Second Reading

Philippians 4:4-7

Gospel Acclamation

Chant Mode IV

Verse: The Spirit of the Lord is upon me, because he has anointed me to bring glad tidings to the poor.



Priest: The Lord be with you.
People: **And with your spirit.**

Priest: A reading from the holy Gospel according to Luke.

People: Glory to you, O Lord.

Gospel

Luke 3:10-18

Homily

Reverend Monsignor Thomas M. Ginty Rector of the Cathedral

(11:00 AM MASS) Reverend Gregory Ramon D. Gaston, S.Th.D. Rector of the Pontificio Collegio Filippino, Rome

Profession of Faith

I believe in one God, the Father almighty, maker of heaven and earth, of all things visible and invisible.

I believe in one Lord Jesus Christ,

the Only Begotten Son of God, born of the Father before all ages. God from God, Light from Light, true God from true God, begotten, not made, consubstantial with the Father; through him all things were made. For us men and for our salvation he came down from heaven, (all bow) and by the Holy Spirit was incarnate of the Virgin Mary, and became man.

For our sake he was crucified under Pontius Pilate, he suffered death and

was buried, and rose again on the third day in accordance with the Scriptures. He ascended into heaven and is seated at the right hand of the Father. He will come again in glory to judge the living and the dead and his kingdom will have no end.

I believe in the Holy Spirit, the Lord, the giver of life, who proceeds from the Father and the Son, who with the Father and the Son is adored and glorified, who has spoken through the prophets.

I believe in one, holy, catholic and apostolic Church. I confess one Baptism for the forgiveness of sins and I look forward to the resurrection of the dead and the life of the world to come. Amen.

Universal Prayer

Response: Lord, hear our prayer.

TAGALOG (*Eric Cutiongco*) For the Church, we ask that She will bear witness to the message of Christ by both word and example. We pray to the Lord.

ILOCANO (*Matty Bautista*) For the world, we ask that the people of all nations might be free from fear and oppression so that they can welcome Christ openly into their lives. We pray to the Lord.

PANGASINAN (*Nena Guevarra*) For our senior Religious, we ask that we will be filled with gratitude and prayers for their lifetime of good works. We pray to the Lord.

KAPAMPANGAN (Anthony Feliciano) For all those in our community, we ask that in this season of joy, we will be mindful of the needs of the less fortunate and find ways to share our blessings with them. We pray to the Lord.

ILONGGO (*John Henares*) For our parish as we celebrate our cultural diversity with the Filipino Advent Mass called Simbang Gabi, we ask that the Holy Spirit embraces every man, woman, and child with love. We pray to the Lord.

CHAVACANO (*Fides Cutiongco*) For the intentions that people wish to have remembered at this Mass (pause briefly). We pray to the Lord.

CEBUANO For our deceased relatives and friends (pause briefly) and especially at this Mass for Arthur and Margaret D'Onofrio. May all those who died in the hope of the Kingdom of Heaven be purified by the Holy Spirit. We pray to the Lord.

THE LITURGY OF THE EUCHARIST

Today's Second Collection is for the Retirement Fund for Religious

Presentation and Preparation of the Gifts

Anthem (11:00 A.M. MASS)

Payapang Daigdig

F. P. de Leon arr. L. D. San Pedro

Hymn Joyful, Joyful, We Adore You 1. Joy - ful, joy - ful, we a - dore you, God of glo-ry, Earth and heav'n re -2. All your works with joy sur - round you, 3. Al - ways giv - ing and for - giv - ing, Ev - er bless - ing, 4. Mor-tals join the might - y cho - rus, Which the morn - ing Lord of love; Hearts un - fold like flowers be - fore an - gels sing flect your rays, Stars and a - round you, Well - spring ev - er blest, of the joy of liv - ing, stars be - gan; God's own love is reign - ing o'er us, clouds of the a - bove. Melt the Open - ing to sun Field Cen - ter of un - bro - ken praise; and for - est, O - cean depth of hap - py rest! Lov - ing Fa - ther, Join - ing peo - ple hand in hand. Ev - er sing - ing, Drive the dark of doubt a - way: and sad - ness: moun-tain, Flow - ery mead - ow, flash-ing sea, Christ our broth - er, Let your light up - on us shine; Vic - tors the midst of strife; march we on - ward, in Giv - er of im-mor-tal glad-ness, Fill us with the light of day! Chant-ing bird and flow-ing foun-tain, Prais-ing you e - ter-nal-ly!

Teach us how to love each oth - er, Lift us to the joy di-vine. Joy - ful mu - sic leads us sun-ward In the tri-umph song of life.

Invitation to Prayer

Priest: Pray, brothers and sisters, that my sacrifice and yours may be

acceptable to God, the almighty Father.

People: May the Lord accept the sacrifice at your hands for the

praise and glory of his name, for our good and the good of all his holy Church.

Preface Dialogue

Priest: The Lord be with you.

People: And with your spirit. Priest: Lift up your hearts.

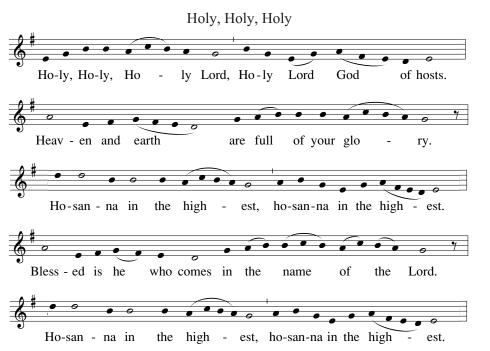
People: We lift them up to the Lord.

Priest: Let us give thanks to the Lord our God.

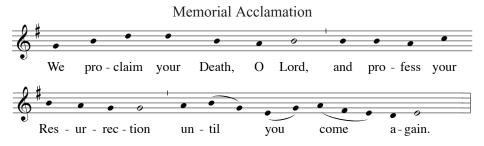
People: It is right and just.

Eucharistic Acclamations

Missa Emmanuel



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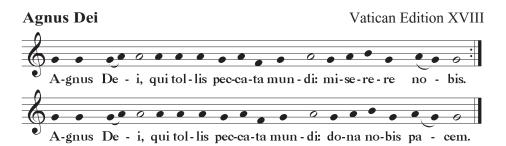
THE COMMUNION RITE

The Lord's Prayer

Sign of Peace

Priest: The peace of the Lord be with you always.

People: And with your spirit.



Invitation to Communion

Priest: Behold the Lamb of God, behold him who takes away the sins

of the world. Blessed are those called to the supper of the Lamb.

Lord, I am not worthy that you should enter under my roof, All: but only say the word and my soul shall be healed.

Communion

Antiphon

Cf. Is 35:4

Say: "Take courage, you who are fainthearted, and do not fear; behold, our God will come and he will save us."

Anthems (11:00 A.M. MASS)

Ave verum Corpus Messiah

Wolfgang Amadeus Mozart George Frideric Handel

And the glory of the Lord

Prayer after Communion

THE CONCLUDING RITES

Blessing and Dismissal

Prayer to St. Michael

St. Michael the Archangel, defend us in battle. Be our defense against the wickedness and snares of the Devil. May God rebuke him, we humbly pray, and do thou, O Prince of the heavenly hosts, by the power of God, thrust into hell Satan, and all the evil spirits, who prowl about the world seeking the ruin of souls. Amen.

Recessional

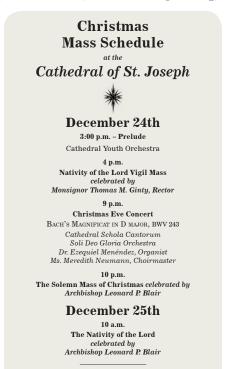
Grand Choeur Dialogué

Eugène Gigout

Ms. Sarah Gedicks, Cantor & Dr. Ezequiel Menéndez, Organist (4:00 pm Vigil) Mr. Scott Lamlein, Guest Organist

(11:00 AM MASS) The Cathedral Schola Cantorum, Ms. Meredith Neumann, Choirmaster (11:00 AM MASS) Guest singers from the Filipino-American community in the archdiocese of Hartford

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